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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): VOICE COIL FOR LOUDSPEAKER AND LOUDSPEAKER DEVICE

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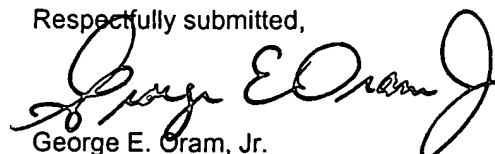
- ☒ 14 pages of Specification/Claims 1-2/Abstract are attached.
☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-7B; 4 sheets are attached.
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
☒ An assignment of the invention to Pioneer Corporation and Tohoku Pioneer Corporation is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 1 reference.
☒ Priority of foreign application No. 2003-094404 filed March 31, 2003, in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
☒ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign applications is attached.

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